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Enclosed herewith is the Response to Restriction Requirement mailed June 3, 2003.

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**Small Entity Status** 

Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is claimed. [x]

## FEE CALCULATION, CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims remaining after amendment	:	Highest number previously paid for		Present Extra			Additional Fee
Total Effective	12	minus	24	=	0	Х	\$ 18.00 =	0.00
Claims								
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Fee Calculation: Request for Extension of Time					
pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)					
[ ] Response filed within first month after due date – add	\$ 110.00	N/A			
[X] Response filed within second month after due date – add	410.00	\$410.00			
Response filed within third month after due date – add	\$930.00	N/A			
Response filed within fourth month after due date – add	\$1450.00	N/A			
Response filed within fifth month after due date – add	\$1970.00	N/A			
	SUBTOTAL:	N/A			
Discount for "small entity" status, enter half (1/2)		-205.00			
of the second subtotal and subtract.					
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$205.0					
[X] Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2814 in the amount A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.	of <u>\$205.00</u> .				
[ ] Snell & Wilmer Check # in the amount of \$	<del></del> ·				
[ ] No additional fee is required.					

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Respectfully submitted,

Date: 2 September 2003

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